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Round 3: MG proceeds on Oasis Motel condemnation

by Rosemary Tirio

The Oasis Motel, 9353 Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, is back on the block again and will likely be condemned by year's end.

Judge Alexander White reversed his January 13 decision March 31. White threw out Morton Grove's condemnation case because the village had illegally added two residences to the original Tax Incremental Financing district without first holding public hearings.

On April 6, White ruled again

this time in favor of the village finding that the Oasis property met state criteria for being "blighted." After reviewing a recent Illinois Supreme Court ruling, White also found that the village had not violated any statutes when it added the two residences to the TIF district.

Village Administrator Larry Arlt said that the two decisions had gotten the village through the "minefield" of motions by Admin-

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Class president continues ID card protest at Maine West

by Rosemary Tirio

The president of the Maine West High School class of 1998 has gotten a head start on a career in negotiation and diplomacy, if that is what he had in mind.

For most of this school year, Eric Leys has led the student protest against the School District 207 official policy requiring students at the three Maine Township high schools to wear ID cards, and he's still at it.

Leys presented the students' objections to the school board

three times, surveyed the community door-to-door, circulated petitions, contacted the media, bombarded board members with faxes and memos and discussed the protest with teachers and administrators.

Despite all that, however, he is not optimistic that the board will rescind the edict, which became effective at the start of this school year when students first donned the neck chain ID cards. The

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The 1998 Yard Waste Program

The Village of Niles Yard Waste Program is well under way. Below is a revised list of businesses selling the yard waste stickers. Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact the Village at (847) 588-8000.

The Village of Niles (1000 Civic Center Drive, Oakton/Waukegan) will sell the stickers for \$1 per sticker. The following Niles stores will provide the

stickers for a comparable cost:
Dominick's Finer Foods
8900 Greenwood;
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8113 North Milwaukee;
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8730 Dempster;
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8201 Golf Road;
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Betty Kazmerski, former Niles committeewoman, dies at 83

by Rosemary Tirio

Natalie B. [Betty] Kazmerski passed away at Lutheran General Hospital April 14 at the age of 83.

Mrs. Kazmerski was active in Niles Township for many years, according to Mayor Nicholas B. Blase who knew Mrs. Kazmerski and worked with her for many years.

For 25 years, Mrs. Kazmerski served as Niles Township committeewoman, heading the local Democratic organization. She worked for the Northwest Mosquito Abatement District and was active and influential in the south

end of Niles, Mayor Blase said. The Niles Township Democratic Committee will hold a memorial service for Mrs. Kazmerski.

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Special Meeting Notice

The Village Board of Trustees will hold a workshop at 4 p.m. on Thursday, April 30 in the Trustee's Conference Room of the Richard T. Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina Ave., Morton Grove to receive a briefing on SWANCC regarding current litigation, etc.

Niles Police Chief Ray Giovannelli attributes decline to a higher conviction ratio

Niles overall crime rate shows decline in 1997

by Rosemary Tirio

And the good news is: Crime is down in Niles and many of the surrounding suburban areas. The crime rates for eight categories of crime show a marked decline, according to published reports.

In Niles, crime in all categories except arson and burglary decreased. The number of all crimes per 100,000 of population fell from 4,432.4 in 1996 to 4,167.7 in 1997.

For example, robberies, which occurred at the rate of 12 per 100,000 population in 1996, decreased to just seven per 100,000 in 1997.

In 1996, there was one assault, 23 robberies, 1,120 thefts and 67 car thefts per 100,000 residents. In 1997, there was no assault, only 17 robberies, 1,035 thefts, and 64 car thefts for the same population.

Burglaries, on the other hand, increased from 64 per 100,000 in 1996 to 83 per 100,000 in 1997. Niles Chief Raymond Giovannelli

li noted that as many as half of the burglaries have been cleared by Niles police. "What's important is that you solve those crimes," Giovannelli said.

Giovannelli also credited Detective Marty Stankowicz with

solving a recent series of garage burglaries in Niles and some nearby Chicago neighborhoods.

The arsons, he said, were probably part of the cyclical variations that occur from time to time in the

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Man killed crossing Golf Road; hit-run driver surrenders

A 71-year-old Niles man was struck and killed by a hit and run vehicle as he walked across golf Road around 9:28 p.m. April 14.

The driver of the fleeing vehicle later turned himself in at the Niles Police Department, according to a press release issued by Sgt. Roger Wilson, Niles Public Information Officer.

Naum Bunimovich, who lived in the 8800 block of Golf Road, was struck while crossing the roadway at 8815 Golf Road. The striking vehicle fled eastbound on Golf Road without stopping

after the collision, a witness told police.

The victim was transported to Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge for treatment of massive head and leg injuries. He died at 10:16 p.m.

At 11:06 p.m., Sarman Yousif, 22, of Chicago surrendered to Niles police. Yousif told police he did not know what he had hit and went home. After discussing the matter with his family, he returned to Niles to report the accident.

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Niles Park District stabilizing river bank erosion



The receding, eroding riverbanks have begun to take on a new look. For the past few months during the cold off-season, workers have placed over 5,000 'a-jack' structures along the river bank. These 70 lb. concrete interlocking units were installed below the natural water line in the bank itself. See story on page 3.

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Public awareness seminar for seniors

Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home of Niles will be sponsoring a free public awareness seminar for senior citizens and for the adult children of seniors. This seminar will be focusing on the New 1998 Government Entitlement Legislation regarding the benefits allowed for medicare, medicaid and final arrangements. The seminar will be presented by Benecom, Inc. (A Benefits Communication Company). Their presentation will take about one hour and they will allow plenty of time for people to ask questions regarding all of these issues.

The seminar will be held Thursday, April 30, 11 a.m. at Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home, 8025 W. Golf Rd. in Niles (1/2 mile east of Milwaukee Ave.). Seating will be limited. Please call Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home at (847) 581-0536 for a reservation.

Colonial-Wojciechowski will be providing refreshments and a free drawing. The funeral home will also be available for a tour of the facility.

South Africa's Foreign Relations lecture

Prexy Nesbitt, dean of students and teacher of African and Third World history and politics at Francis Parker School in Chicago, discusses South Africa's Foreign Relations on Thursday, April 30 from 1-2:30 p.m. The lecture, part of the Culture's Connection to Foreign Relations lecture series sponsored by Oakton's Emeritus Program, will be presented in Room A151 at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

The fee for the lecture is \$5 at the door. For more information, call the Emeritus office at (847) 635-1414.

How to enjoy life after retirement

Dr. Armin Mesrobian, a retired University of Illinois Medical Center professor, will discuss how to enjoy life after retirement on Tuesday, April 28 from 1-2:30 p.m. This presentation is part of the Passages Lecture Series sponsored by Oakton's Emeritus Program. All lectures are held in Room A151 at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

NARFE meeting

A regular meeting of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees will be held on Friday, May 1, 1998 at 1 p.m. at Warren Park Field House, 6601 North Western Avenue, Chicago.

All active and retired federal employees are welcome.

Mesrobian's presentation features a holistic, comprehensive approach to lifestyle, exercise programs and stress reduction, as recommended in his recent book, *Prepare and Enjoy Creative Retirement*.

Admission is \$2 at the door. Seating is limited. For more information, call the Emeritus Office at (847) 635-1414.

Niles Senior Citizens 588-8420 - 588-8000

NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION

The Niles Senior Center is open to residents of the Village of Niles age 62 and over, and their younger spouses. Niles seniors interested in obtaining additional senior center information should call or visit the center and be placed on the mailing list. The center is located at 8060 Oakton Street.

YARN NEEDED

The Senior Center is requesting any left over yarn or scraps of material (8" x 8" or bigger). Lap robes and shawls are made for veterans at Hines Hospital. Volunteer knitters and crocheters are needed also. If interested, contact the Senior Center.

MAY TICKET SALES

May ticket sales will be held on Wednesday, May 6 at 9 a.m. on a walk-in basis. Tickets will be on sale for: June Lite Lunch (June 3), including a submarine sandwich and the movie *Jerry Maguire* for \$2; Port Washington Adventure Trip (June 30), including a tour of the city's landmarks and buffet style lunch for \$26.

BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

A Bridge Tournament will be held at the Niles Senior Center on Friday, May 8 at 1 p.m. Contract Bridge will be played; partners are not required but you may sign up with someone else if you would like. The cost of \$3.50 includes refreshments and prizes. Registration required.

MEALS ON WHEELS DRIVERS NEEDED

The Niles Senior Center is seeking volunteer drivers for the Meals on Wheels Program. Meals are delivered to homebound residents of Niles weekdays between 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. by volunteers who are able to commit between two and four days a month. For more information, contact Kelly at the Center.

WOMEN'S CLUB TRIP: CHICAGO CHURCH TOUR

The Women's Club Chicago Church Tour trip is on Thursday, May 28 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Lunch will be prepared by students at the Cooking and Hospitality Institute. The cost of the trip is \$34; registration required.

MAY LUNCHEON

The May "Musical Medley Luncheon" will be held on Friday, May 1 at 12 noon. The cost of \$6 includes a meal of lemon marinated chicken, London broil with mushroom sauce, and entertainment by Ester Hana on piano. Registration required.

BOOK REVIEW

The book review will be held on Friday, May 1 at 10 a.m. The cost of \$1 includes refreshments and the book *Stone Diaries* by Carol Shields. Registration required.

LECTURE: FALL PREVENTION AND 911

A FREE lecture on fall prevention and 911 will be held on Thursday, May 14 at 2 p.m. The lecture will be co-sponsored by the Niles Fire Department and Lutheran General Hospital. Registration required.

RULES OF THE ROAD

Rules of the Road driver's license renewal class will be held on Monday, May 4 at 2 p.m. The class is free; registration required.

MEN'S CLUB GENERAL MEETING

The Men's Club general meeting will be held on Monday, May 11 at 10:30 a.m. Following the meeting, a speaker from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources will speak. Tickets will be on sale for: Tam Outing (June 17) for \$13; Bristol Oaks 18 Hole Golf (July 6) for \$34; Kane County Cougar Outing (July 1) for \$23.50.

SHIP APPOINTMENTS

SHIP appointments are held at the Senior Center on Mondays and Fridays by appointment. Call to schedule or for more information.

REVERSE MORTGAGE APPOINTMENTS
Reverse Mortgage appointments are available at the Senior Center on Monday, May 11. Call to schedule an appointment.

MONTHLY MAILING

The monthly mailing will be held on Tuesday, May 12 at 12:30 p.m.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

FREE blood pressure screening will be held on Wednesday, May 13 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

Riverbank stabilization and wetland

The North Branch of the Chicago River winds through the Niles Park District's Tam Golf Course, adding to the ambiance and challenge of the game. On most days the river flows quietly through, seemingly harmless. However, this day to day flow of water has taken a toll on the riverbank, eroding the banks to the point that several cart paths have been threatened. After heavy rains, or melting snows, the river comes up over its banks flooding several areas of the course. As the water recedes, it leaves sediments on the greens and pulls undesirable chemicals and soils into the waterway.

It became clear to Park District staff that it was necessary to find a long-term solution to these problems. Working with Burke Engineering, a plan was developed to address both aspects of the problems in an environmentally acceptable manner. This plan was submitted to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and the Niles Park District was awarded a \$107,000 grant to assist with the project.

The Niles Park District owns a parcel of property on Howard Street that is about an acre and a quarter in size which is immediately adjacent to the North Branch of the Chicago River, across the street from the golf course. This area also sustains partial flooding each time the river flows over its banks, making it an area that is not suitable for development of any kind. Taking this into consideration, it was determined that it would be beneficial to use this land as a temporary storage area of water "overflow," developing it into a dedicated wetland. The area has been lowered to allow earlier overflow and contoured so that when the waters recede, a small pond will remain "wet" at all times. Appropriate aquatic plants will be added in seed and plant form, and once established will filter the water as it returns to the river. A small gazebo will be installed where residents may go to view the wetland development and gather information about this unique eco system.

Avenues to hold garage sale

Avenues to Independence is sponsoring a giant garage sale on Friday, April 24 and Saturday, April 25 to benefit Avenues' vocational and residential programs for adults with developmental disabilities.

The sale will feature clothing, office equipment, furniture and other miscellaneous items. Sale hours are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. The location is 1841 Busse Highway in DesPlaines. For further information about this unique eco system.

'It Didn't Have To Happen... Drinking and Driving'

A Mock From Night Crash Demonstration will be held on April 28, starting at 9:45 a.m. at Notre Dame High School Football Stadium, 7655 Dempster, Niles. The Village, along with the high school, will present a mock car accident on the night of the high school prom in which a drunk underage driver kills one of his friends, along with a mother and her child, leaving a father without his family.

The crash will take place in the high school stadium where the student body will assemble for the presentation. An introductory speech will be given by Lutheran General Hospital and other distinguished guest members prior to the demonstration. The demonstration will be conducted by the Niles Fire and Police Departments, with assistance given by the Park Ridge Fire Department and Red Cross Dispatch.

Longtime Niles resident, nurse's aide dies at 74

by Rosemary Tirio
Dorothy J. Zalesny, 74, died in her home Friday. She was a longtime resident of Niles, moving here in 1955 with her husband Edwin, who had owned and operated a food store on Chicago's Northwest side for six years.

During World War II, Mrs. Zalesny served as a nurse's aide at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Chicago. She also worked as a secretary at the Zenith Electronics Corp.

The Zalesnys celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1997.

Mrs. Zalesny's survivors, in addition to her husband, include a daughter, two sons, and three grandchildren.

Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated for Mrs. Zalesny at St. John Brebeuf Church at 10 a.m. April 21.

NTSW honors community leader

NTSW (Niles Township Sheltered Workshop), a social service agency serving people with mental illness and the frail elderly in Skokie and Evanston, will honor its executive director, Jim Stavish, who will be leaving the agency after 24 years of service to the North Shore community. The event, titled Rites of Spring, will take place on Saturday, April 25 at the historic Kenilworth Club, Kenilworth, from 6 to 10 p.m.

Mr. Stavish joined NTSW as a rehabilitation counselor in 1974 and has been the executive director since 1993. In more than two decades of service, Mr. Stavish has played a key role in the agency's expansion. NTSW, starting as a sheltered workshop for older adults, has since grown to three separate complexes serving adults with mental illness and the elderly: NTSW Industries (industrial workshop), Great Opportunities (day services for seniors), and First Step (day program for people with mental illness). Most recently, Mr. Stavish guided NTSW into a long-term affiliation with Thresholds, Illinois' oldest and largest psychiatric recovery center, thus furthering the agency's influence in the community.

"You Should Be Committed" speech wins Roman 2nd place honors

Bob Roman, a resident of Morton Grove, was awarded Second Place Honors in the North Division Toastmasters Speech Contest this past Saturday with his speech, "You Should Be Committed."

The speech was about the importance of keeping one's commitments. Roman, because of his second place finish, was also named an alternate for the Chicago District #30 Speech Contest scheduled for April 24, in Rosemont.

The Contest, which was held at the Skokie Public Library, was attended by Toastmasters from various area Clubs including Toastmasters from Roman's home club, The Park Ridge Toastmasters. Toastmasters is

In addition to his duties as Executive Director, Mr. Stavish has been a member of the Illinois Department of Aging statewide committees on adult day care. He also has been the vice president of the Illinois Association of Adult Day Care Providers, and was a delegate council member of the National Institute of Adult Day Care. Mr. Stavish has been an adjunct faculty member of National-Louis University, Oakton Community College, and Kendall College. Mr. Stavish is currently on the Skokie Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors as the past President.

Mr. Stavish will continue to work with the aging population when he leaves NTSW to become the Director of the Village of Niles Senior Center.

The event to honor Mr. Stavish will include a gourmet dinner and open bar. Additionally, guests will enjoy a silent and live auction of luxury items and dancing to the R&B band, R-Gang.

People interested in attending the gala or who otherwise wish to honor Mr. Stavish should call Debbie Jha at (847) 679-5610.

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Senior Citizen Law Enforcement Academy to begin

Cook County Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan invites all Cook County senior citizens interested in law enforcement and crime awareness issues to enroll in his department's Senior Citizen Law Enforcement Academy to be held at the Schaumburg Park District, 505 Springguth Rd. in Schaumburg, beginning May 12.

The Sheriff's Office designed the program to open the lines of communication and heighten awareness between senior citizens and law enforcement officials. Participants will gain a bet-

ter understanding of the responsibilities and duties of law enforcement officials as well as receive advice on personal safety and crime prevention.

The Academy at the Schaumburg Park District will meet Tuesday mornings, 10 a.m. to noon, through June 30, when all participants will be honored at a graduation ceremony. The Cook County Sheriff's Office offers the program free of charge to all seniors living in Cook County. In addition, Academy graduates are invited to tour the Cook County Jail

at 26th and California in Chicago. The Sheriff's Office will bring the Academy to any senior citizen home, organization or center throughout the county. For more information, or to register for the Senior Citizen Law Enforcement Academy in Schaumburg, call the Sheriff's Office at (773) 869-7725.

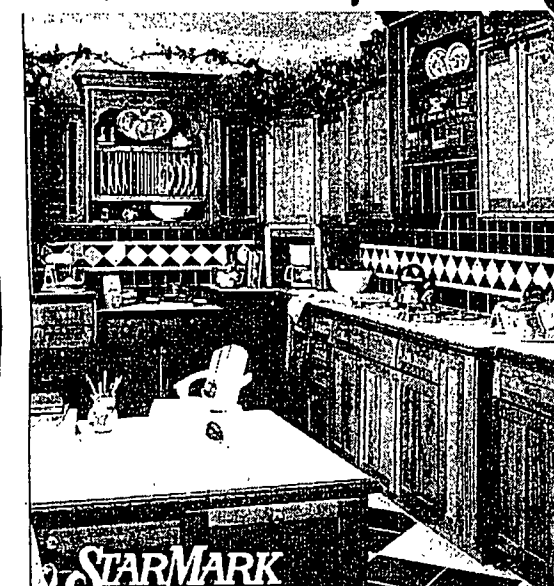
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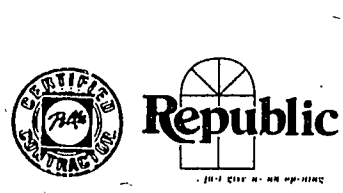
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MAINE & NILES TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOLS

Maine East, Niles North and Niles West High Schools invite seniors to join in on free or low cost school productions to be performed this winter. Call 825-4484 (Maine East) or 568-3956 (Niles North & West) for more details on the following schedule or senior club membership:

At Maine East:

"How to Success in Business Without Really Trying" - Spring Musical, April 30, 4 p.m.

At Niles North:

Jazz Band Concert, April 24, 7:30 p.m.

Voice Recitals, April 27, 7:30 p.m.

At Niles West:

Ensemble Concert, April 23, 7:30 p.m.

"VEGETABLES" FOOD SEMINAR

Nutritionist and manager of the Morton Grove Nutrition Site, Dr. Gus Habighurst, will conduct a free food seminar in the Village Hall Senior Center. At 10:30 a.m. on Friday, April 24 the topic will be "Vegetables." The seminar will be held prior to lunch (11:45 a.m.). The Nutrition Site serves hot, nutritious and inexpensive (suggested donation of \$2 to \$2.50) meals every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday. Make a reservation for lunch by calling the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line, 470-5223.

SENIOR EXERCISE

There is an exciting and invigorating exercise class for seniors who want to feel loose and lively. The class meets at 9 a.m. every Tuesday and Friday in the Prairie View Community Center. This Park District course is taught by an excellent instructor and adapted to enhance mobility and flexibility. For more information, call Catherine Dean at 965-1200.

DIABETES SCREENING

Non-insulin-dependent diabetes is gradual in onset and usually occurs in adults over age 40. Some of the warning signs are: blurred or any change in vision, tingling or itchy skin, slow healing of cuts and bruises, and drowsiness. Free diabetes screenings are available from 9 to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, April 28 in the Morton Grove Village Hall Senior Center. People coming in for the screening should fast from the previous evening meal.

MALL TRIPS

Seniors wishing to join shoppers on a trip to Golf Mill Mall on Tuesday, April 28 should call today to reserve a seat on the bus. Home pick-ups begin at 10 a.m. with arrival at Golf Mill around 11 a.m. Shop and browse for three hours until the bus returns shoppers home at 2 p.m. Mall trips are scheduled on the last Tuesday of every month at no cost. Call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223 to make a reservation.

SPORTSMAN'S PARK TRIP

Enjoy a great day of live thoroughbred racing at Sportsman's Park in Cicero. The trip is scheduled for Tuesday, May 5 and will not only include deluxe motorcoach transportation but also admission to a scrumptious Winner's Circle Buffet. Sign up now and enjoy a day at the racetrack. The bus will leave the Prairie View Community Center at 11 a.m. and return at approximately 4:30 p.m. The fee for the trip is \$17 for residents and \$19 for non-residents. Register at Prairie View by April 30 or call the Morton Grove Park District, senior adult supervisor, Catherine Dean at 965-1200.

HOW WE LIVE AND CHOOSE TO DIE

Questions surrounding quality of life and dignity of death have taken greater meaning with recent advances in medical technology. In a free lecture at the Holy Family Medical Center (auditorium) in Des Plaines, renowned ethicist Sister Carol Taylor, CSFN, from Georgetown University will address how new technologies have changed the way we live and choose to die. Sr. Carol's presentation, entitled "Living Well Until We Die," begins at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 6.

LUTHERAN GENERAL HOSPITAL TRANSPORTATION

The Lutheran General Hospital courtesy van offers Morton Grove and other suburban patients transportation to and from the hospital, Nessel Pavilion, the Cancer Care Center and the Nathanson School's Lutheran General Family Care Center. The cost for patients 55 years or older is \$1 for a one-way trip. Non-seniors ride for \$5 one-way. The van is wheelchair accessible. To schedule a pick-up, call 1-800-440-0204. Twenty-four hour notice is required.

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Church & Temple News

Invitation to an Evening of Reflection

Volunteers and staff members serving in parish social concerns ministry programs are invited to our annual Deansy I-B Night of Reflection and Dinner on Tuesday, May 12, beginning at 6:15 p.m. at St. Edna's Doherty Center, 2525 N. Arlington Heights Road in Arlington Heights.

Fr. Jeff Varden Heuvel, guest speaker, will sing and speak "Our

Journey to Holiness: Hospitality, Honesty and Humility."

Tickets cost \$12 per person. Reservations are due by May 5, 1998. Send checks payable to Catholic Charities, attn: Linda Gloria, 1911 Rohlwing Rd., Ste. E, Rolling Meadows, IL 60008. For more details, please contact Linda Gloria or Sr. Jenny (847) 870-0560.

EPLC to host Handbell Festival

Four handbell choirs will participate in an English Handbell Fest on Sunday, May 3, 7:30 p.m. at Edison Park Lutheran Church, 6626 N. Oliphant (at Avondale), Chicago.

The handbell choirs of Hope Lutheran Church, Buffalo Grove; Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Arlington Heights; St. Mary's

Catholic Church, Arlington Heights; and Edison Park Lutheran Church, will perform individually and en masse.

A reception will follow the concert. Free will offering. Edison Park Lutheran Church is accessible for the handicapped. There is a lift at the tower (corner) entrance to the church. Easy Listener Hearing System sets available for those with hearing loss.

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Fortieth Anniversary Family Mass

On Sunday, April 26, Frances Cardinal George will preside at Regina Dominican High School's 40th Anniversary Family Mass. Held annually for the families and friends of Regina Dominican High School and its students and alumnae, the liturgy honors Saint Catherine of Siena. The Mass will be celebrated at Regina Dominican's O'Shaughnessy Theatre at 10 a.m. and will be followed by a brief reception. RDHS proudly welcomes both the Cardinal George as well as Adrian Dominican Priestess Patricia Walter, OP.

Regina Dominican to host memorial Mass

Regina Dominican High School will host a memorial Mass for retired Regina Dominican administrator and faculty member Rita Cecile Boyle, OP, who passed away in late March. The Mass will be held at the Regina Dominican convent on Saturday, May 2 at 5 p.m. Anyone wishing to join the school community at this observance should RSVP to (847) 256-7660.

JUF to host Yom Ha'Atzmaut Gala

The Chicago Jewish community's observance of Israel's 50th anniversary will be a four-day celebration, from Thursday, April 30 through Sunday, May 3. On Thursday evening, a massive community-wide Jubilee Gala will be held to mark Yom Ha'Atzmaut (Israel's Independence Day).

Northwestern University's McGaw Memorial Hall-Welsh Ryan Arena will be transformed with the excitement, sounds and flavors of Israel. Beginning at 5 p.m., "A Taste of Israel" will feature Israeli-style food family entertainment, including the Kiryat Gat Dance Troupe, direct from JUF's Partnership 2000 region.

A phenomenal double bill will highlight the "Salute to Israel" at 7 p.m. The legendary Art Garfunkel - who has recently released a Grammy-nominated album, *Songs From a Parent to a Child* - will take the stage. Opening will be Israeli pop star Noa, whose lush voice and exotic melodies will be accompanied by the virtuoso guitar of Gil Dor.

The "Chicago Celebrates Israel's 50th Anniversary" Committee has worked to ensure that all members of the community can participate. Thus, admission is free; however, advanced tickets are required. Parking is free as well.

Registration at suburban locations is from 8-9 a.m. Free bus transportation will be provided, but calling in advance is required, as bus seating is limited. Registration at Buckingham Fountain will be at 10 a.m., and the Walk will begin at 11.

The entire weekend is planned under the auspices of the "Chicago Celebrates Israel's 50th Anniversary" Committee in cooperation with the Consulate General of Israel to the Midwest. The weekend is coordinated by the Jewish Federation/Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago with more than 80 participating organizations, synagogues and youth movements. For more information, call (312) 357-4774.

Other highlights will be a patient's account of events that led to her osteoporosis diagnosis, insights from a registered dietitian, physical therapist and pharmacist about their roles in the prevention and treatment of osteoporosis, and a fashion seminar focusing on asset-enhancing outfits and design tips.

In addition, a series of afternoon workshops are scheduled focusing on fitness (weight-bearing exercises and equipment); nutrition (how much calcium should be in the diet and the use of supplements); coping with stress (ways to deal with the emotional impact of a chronic disease); and ask-the-doctor sessions.

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OLPH Phoenix Club to hold dance

The OLPH Phoenix Club, for widowed, divorced, and separated adults will hold a dance on Friday - May 8. A Spring Fling will be held in McDonnell Hall, 1126 Church Street, Glenview, from 8 p.m. - 11 p.m. Live music provided by a three-piece band, "Men of Note." Cash Bar. Light refreshments.

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Women's News

New preschool program offered

A preschool limited to three-year-old children will be offered at Maine East High School for the 1998-1999. Preschool policy requires that the child needs to be three by the first of September and toilet-trained.

The new program will emphasize social development of the child through various play activities. This will be part of the high school Child Care Occupations class with students directing the activities, the high school stu-

dents will be supervised by a certified Family and Consumer Science teacher.

The program will be four days a week, Tuesday through Friday, from 12 noon to 1 p.m. The cost will be \$50 each semester. Applications are now available at Maine East High School at 2601 Dempster Street in Park Ridge. For more information call 847-692-8349. Selection of children will be made by Friday, May 15.

Osteoporosis seminar at LGH

The Women's Health Resource Center of Lutheran General Hospital and the Advocate Medical Group Comprehensive Osteoporosis Center will offer a "Boning Up for Life" seminar from 8:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Saturday, May 16, at Lutheran General Hospital.

This free all-day forum features presentations by experts in the field of osteoporosis, a variety of workshops, a luncheon and a fashion show.

Registration is required. To sign up, call 1-800-3-ADVOCATE (1-800-323-8622). The program will include an overview of osteoporosis by rheumatologist Susan Broy, M.D., director, Advocate Medical Group Comprehensive Osteoporosis Center, and a member of Lutheran General Hospital's medical staff.

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Women's Career Fair to be held in Chicago

The fifth annual Women's Career Fair for Trades and Technology is being held on April 28 to raise women's awareness about high-paying jobs in the construction and technological fields. The fair, which is sponsored by the Tradeswomen Advocacy Coalition, will be at the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Workshops will be repeated throughout the day to provide information on issues related to non-traditional jobs. Workshops include: "Wet and Wild" which consists of nine tradeswomen from the Chicago Metropolitan Water Reclamation district who'll talk about their own experiences and discuss the pros and cons of working in a non-traditional field; "The Nuts & Bolts of Working in the Trades" involves a panel of tradeswomen who will describe their experiences working in the non-traditional fields that they have chosen; "Technical Talents: Non Construction Careers" will highlight high-paying and high-skilled fields such as architecture, web page designing and engineering and feature women who work in these fields; and "Build Your Future With a Career in

Construction" which gives an overview of careers in the construction trades and explains how to prepare for entering apprenticeship programs.

The fair will also have three different types of booths and exhibits to provide attendees with career information. Representatives at the traditional booths will answer participants' questions. The demonstration booths will provide information about how various tools are used on the job, while hands-on activity booths will allow those present to perform tasks that are regularly done on the job.

An awards ceremony to honor tradeswomen will be held at the event. The keynote speaker will be Margaret Van-Voast, On-Site Project Manager for the Women's Military Memorial in Washington D.C.

The fair will take place in the Hermann Union Building on the campus of IIT, 3241 S. Federal Street, Chicago, Illinois from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. Admission is free. For information on directions and parking, call 312-942-6300. Women who are interested in attending the fair can call 312-942-1444 for more information.



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